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For: **METHODS FOR PROVIDING PERIODIC STATUS UPDATES FROM A PRINTER AND A PRINTER CAPABLE OF PROVIDING PERIODIC STATUS UPDATES**

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the following references:

U.S. PATENT(S):

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Patentee</u>	<u>Date of Issue</u>
4,583,834	Seko et al.	Apr 22, 1986
5,284,423	Holdsworth et al.	Feb 08, 1994
5,969,324	Reber et al.	Oct 19, 1999
6,364,550	Petteruti	Apr 02, 2002
6,493,100	Endo et al.	Dec 10, 2002

The references listed above were cited by the international patent examiner in the Search Report of Applicants' counterpart international patent application PCT/US2004/37557(MPEP §2001.06(a)). A copy of the Search Report dated August 16, 2007 is enclosed.


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Consideration of these references by the Examiner is respectfully requested. To date, a first Office Action on the merits has not been received in connection with this application. This Information Disclosure Statement is therefore believed to be timely filed.

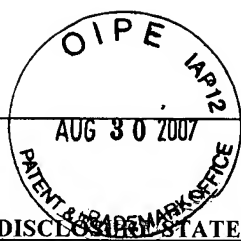
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